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Use of bile salt-activated lipase in dietary supplement - to improve fat absorption or digestion., useful for eg compensating immature pancreatic development in premature infants

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Use of an isolated mammalian bile salt-activated lipase (BAL) in the mfr. of a dietary supplement for improving the absorption or digestion of ingested fats is new, where the BAL is provided at a dose of at least 1 mg BAL per 2000 mg of ingested fat.

The BAL is derived from human, gorilla, dog or cat milk, or is a pancreatic carboxylestrase. The BAL may be encapsulated in an enteric coating. The dose is ca. 1 mg/200 mg fat. The BAL concn. in the supplement is more than 0.1 mg/ml.

USE - BAL-contg. dietary supplements may be used in infant formulas based on cow's milk or milk substitutes to compensate for immature pancreatic development in human (esp. premature infants. They may also be used to treat patients with pancreatic disease or trauma, and patients with genetic disorders associated with reduced fat absorption, e.g. cystic fibrosis.

In an example, Breast-fed kittens exhibited an average daily wt. gain of 13.27g over 5 days. The value for kittens fed with a commercial milk replacer was 6.46 g. The value for kittens fed with the milk replacer contg. 0.1 mg/ml human milk BAL was 11.38 g.

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